IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend Claims 1, 4 and 6 as follows:

1. (Seven Times Amended) An information processing apparatus comprising:

reading means for reading image information including character data including a name and a phone number recorded on a recording medium;

image memory means for storing image information;

recognizing means for recognizing the name and the phone number included in the image information read by said reading means;

character memory means for storing a name and a phone number;

image memory control means for controlling said image memory means to store the image information read by said reading means;

character memory control means for controlling said character memory means to store the name and the phone number recognized by said recognizing means;

searching means for searching a plurality of names and phone numbers, stored in said character memory means, for a desired name and phone number; and

display means for displaying the desired name and phone number searched by said searching means and the

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corresponding image information <u>stored in said image memory</u>

<u>means</u> simultaneously.

4. (Six Times Amended) An information processing

apparatus comprising:

manual means for entering, correcting or

changing character data;

reading means for reading image information

including character data including a name and a phone number

recorded on a recording medium;

recognizing means for recognizing the name and

phone number included in the image information read by said

reading means;

registering means for registering a name and a

phone number;

memory control means for controlling said

registering means to register the name and phone number in

accordance with the name and phone number recognized by said

recognizing means and <u>for allowing</u> [to register the character

data entered, corrected or changed by] said manual means <u>to</u>

<u>correct or change the registered name and phone number</u>;

display means for displaying the phone number

searched by said searching means for displaying the name and

phone number registered in said registering means in

accordance with a type of the character data;

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communication control means for performing communication processing on the basis of the desired phone number; and

storage means for storing a document,

wherein said communication control means performs control of transmission of the document on the basis of the desired phone number.

6. (Five Times Amended) An information processing apparatus comprising:

reading means for reading image information including character data including a name and a phone number recorded on a recording medium;

recognizing means for recognizing the name and phone number included in the image information read by said reading means;

registering means for registering a name and a phone number;

memory control means for controlling said registering means to register the name and the phone number in accordance with the name and phone number recognized by said recognizing means and for causing said registering means to register a plurality of such names and phone numbers <u>and for allowing said apparatus to manually correct or change the registered names and phone numbers</u>;

searching means for searching the plurality of phone numbers registered in said registering means for a